

REMARKS

The application has been amended to introduce new claims 9 and 12 in the description of the Application. Publication of the application with the amendments herein is respectfully requested.

Should any fees be due as a result of the filing of this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the Deposit Account No. 18-0988. Any overpayment can be credited to Deposit Account No. 18-0988.

Respectfully submitted,

RENNER, OTTO, BOISSELLE & SKLAR, LLP

/Mark D. Saralino/

Mark D. Saralino

Reg. No. 34,243

DATE: March 29, 2005

The Keith Building
1621 Euclid Avenue
Nineteenth Floor
Cleveland, Ohio 44115
(216) 621-1113
Z:\SEC162\MDSYAMA\P1010us\Preliminary amendment.doc